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Turin, October 21.

THE French Troops, which compoſed the Camp at Tourneaux, or were poſted about Barcelonette and Briançon, on the Frontiers of Upper Provence and Dauphine, are marched towards the County of Nice, where there is now an Army of 100 Battalions. The Garriſon of Genoa has made ſeveral ſucceſsful Incurſions in the Parmeſan, Plaiſantine, and Ultra Po, from whence they have carried off a conſiderable Booty in Cattle and other Effects; they were even very near taking Marquis Botta at his Country-Houſe. An effectual Stop will ſoon be put to all farther Attempts of this Nature by the Auſtrian Troops, which will be quartered in thoſe Parts. Even the Peaſants are riſen up in Arms againſt the French and Spaniards, and by ſurrounding and beſieging ſeveral ſmall Corps, to the Number of three or four Hundred Men, which were diſperſed in thoſe Villages, have made the greateſt Part of them Priſoners.

Whitehall, October 16, 1747.

It having been repreſented to the King, That on Wedneſday the 7th Inſtant, between Twelve and One of the Clock in the Morning, a conſiderable Number of Perſons, arm'd with Muskets, Piſtols, and Swords, went to the Cuſtom-houſe at Poole in Dorſetſhire, and placed a Guard upon the Watchmen, and all other Perſons, whom they met with in the Streets; and then broke open the outward Door of the ſaid Cuſtom-houſe, and the Door of the Collector's Office, and one other Door leading to the King's Warehouſe; declaring, they were come for their Tea; and accordingly took from thence all the Tea, which had been lately ſeized by Capt. Johnſon, Commander of the Swift Privateer, being upwards of Four Thouſand Two Hundred Weight, and carried the ſame to a Place in the ſaid Town, where their Horſes waited; obliging the Watchmen to go and remain with them, till they had loaded them: That they were upwards of Sixty in Number, with about Thirty Horſes; and that they left behind them, in their Hurry, a Crow Bar of a new and uncommon Make; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſons concerned therein, is pleaſed to promiſe his moſt gracious Pardon to any one of the Offenders, who ſhall diſcover any one, or more of his Accomplices, ſo that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

Cuſtom-houſe, London, October 16, 1747.

And as a further Encouragement for bringing the Offenders to Juſtice, the Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms do hereby promiſe a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds for the diſcovering and apprehending each of the Perſons concerned in breaking open the ſaid Warehouſe, and carrying off the Tea; to be paid by the Receiver-General of the Cuſtoms, upon the Conviction of each Offender reſpectively: And if any of the Perſons, who were concerned in the Offence above-mentioned, will diſcover any of his Accomplices, ſo that any one or more of them, may be apprehended, he ſhall receive the like Reward of Two Hundred Pounds; to be paid upon the Conviction of each Offender; and will alſo be entituled to his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon, as above declared.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,

William Wood, *Secretary.*

Whitehall, October 24, 1747.

Whereas it has been repreſented to the King, That the Houſe of Mr. Edward Seabrook, at Stamford in Lincolnſhire, was, in the Night betwixt the 25th and 26th

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26th of September last, broke open and robbed: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a farther Encouragement, the said Edward Seabrook does hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds, to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Edward Seabrook.

Whitehall, October 13, 1747.

Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, that several Horses belonging to Thomas Pulleyn, of Burley, in the West Riding of the County of York, Esq; were lately killed in the Night Time, by Persons unknown; as also, that several Horses, belonging to his Tenants, had the Hair of their Tails cut off, and thrust down their Throats, when in the Pasture, whereof they died in a short Time; And whereas an Anonymous Letter hath been lately dropt, threatening further Destruction to the Cattle of the Tenants of the said Mr. Pulleyn: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Crimes, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a further Encouragement the said Thomas Pulleyn does hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Guineas to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

Thomas Pulleyn.

Middlesex and Essex Turnpikes.

Notice is hereby given, that from and after the 1st Day of November next, all heavy Carriages passing on the said Road will be weighed; and the Penalty of Twenty Shillings per Hundred will be levied, pursuant to Act of Parliament, for every Hundred Weight which any such Carriage, together with the Loading thereof, shall Weigh over and above the Weight of Sixty Hundred.

N. B. The said Carriages will be weighed whether they pass by Night or by Day,

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Sloop Jamaica, who were on board her at the taking the French Privateers L'Hermine, La Serionne, Le Furet, and La Prudente Catherine, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of said Privateers, and the Bounty Money on board the said Sloop, either at Spithead or Portsmouth Harbour, at her Return from the Cruize she is now making; and such Shares as shall not then be demanded, will be paid the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years after, at the Fountain Tavern in Portsmouth.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of the Ships undermentioned, that their respective Shares of the Produce of the Falcon and Chapeur Privateers, and Eagle retaken Ship, will be paid at the Times and Places as against their Names expressed, viz.

Devonshire, Captain, } 9th of Nov. 1747, at the King's Arms on Towerhill.
Maidstone, 9th of November, at Portsmouth.
Monmouth, Augusta, Lyon, Falkland, Lizard, } 16th of November, at the Fountain Tavern in Plymouth.

The Recalls will be the first Thursday in every Month, at the Fountain Tavern, Plymouth.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's late Sloop Saltash, or their Representatives, that they will be paid their Shares of the Produce of the Privateers Alerte and Petit, St. Benoit, and the Bounty Money, which Privateers were taken by the said Sloop Saltash. And also their Shares of the Bounty Money and Salvage for the Privateer Resource, retaken by the said Sloop Saltash and his Majesty's Sloop Weazel, on Saturday the 31st of October, at the Fountain Tavern in Portsmouth; and such Shares as shall not then be demanded, will be paid at the same Place the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years after.

Advertisements.

This Day was published,

1. THE Sacrament of the Lord's Supper explained; or, The Things to be known and done to make a worthy Communicant. With suitable Prayers and Meditations. The Tenth Edition. Price bound 1 s.

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All by the Right Reverend Father in God, Edmund Lord Bishop of London.

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N. B. Good Allowance will be given in all the above Articles to those who buy Numbers to give away.

To be Sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Eld, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, The Residue of a Term of Ninety six Years, in one Exchequer Annuity Order for 112 l. per Annum, and in six other Exchequer Annuity Orders for 50 l. per Annum each. The Term in all the said Annuities commencing on the 25th of January 1695. Further Particulars to be had at the said Master's Chambers.

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This Day was publiſhed, in Folio,
(Price 10 *s.* 6 *d. ſew'd in blue Paper)*
By Order of the Houſe of PEERS,

THE whole Proceedings in the HOUSE of PEERS, upon the Impeachment exhibited by the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, in Parliament aſſembled, in the Names of themſelves, and of all the Commons of Great-Britain, againſt SIMON Lord LOVAT, for High Treaſon; the Proceeding in Weſtminſter-hall being begun on Monday 9th of March, and continued on Tueſday the 10th, Wedneſday the 11th, Friday the 13th, Monday the 16th, Wedneſday the 18th, and Thurſday the 19th Days of March 1746-7. on the laſt of which Days, Judgment of High Treaſon was given againſt him. Printed for S. Billingſley, in Chancery-Lane near the Rolls Gate. Note, in theſe Proceedings are contained the only true and genuine Speeches and Letters of SIMON Lord LOVAT; and whoever ſhall preſume to publiſh them, or any Part of them, will be guilty of a Contempt and Breach of Privilege, and be proſecuted accordingly.

Where may be had, (Price 2 s. ſtitch'd)

The whole Proceedings in the Houſe of Peers againſt William Earl of Kilmarnock, George, of Cromartie, and Arthur Lord Balmerino, for High Treaſon, in levying War againſt his Majeſty.

TO be peremptorily Sold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Spicer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-Inn, on Friday the 4th Day of December next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, A Freehold Farm, lett on Leaſe at 60 l. per Annum, lying at Witherley, in the County of Leiceſter, within one Mile of Atherſton in Warwickſhire, and not exceeding five Miles from five other Market Towns, late the Eſtate of the Reverend George Greenway, Rector of Kimpton, in the County of Southampton, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

THE Aſſignees of Thomas Mathews, late of Bucklersbury, London, Warehouſeman, intend to make a Dividend of his Eſtate amongſt his Creditors, on Monday the 30th Day of November next, which will be paid by Mr. Joſeph Freeman, at his Houſe in Throgmorton-ſtreet, London; and all thoſe Creditors who have not yet executed the Aſſignment, are deſired, previous to that Time, to apply to Archibald Wynne, Attorney at Law, in Watling-ſtreet, London, and execute the ſame. And it is expected, that all Creditors do produce Affidavits of their reſpective Debts when they come to receive the Dividends.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edmund Meymott, of South Normanton, in the County of Derby, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 17th of November next, and on the 8th of December following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Mr. John Yeomans, called the King's Head in the Town of Derby, in the ſaid County of Derby, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Robert Evans, Attorney, in Nottingham.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Michael Wickham, of Putney in the County of Surry, Carpenter and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th and 13th of November next, and on the 8th of December following, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Ellingham, late of Eaton Green, in the Pariſh of Luton, in the County of Bedford, Draper, Brickmaker, Maltſter and Chapman, intend to meet on the 27th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. At which Time and Place the ſaid Bankrupt is to attend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Henry Boſtock, now or late of the Pariſh of St. Paul Covent Garden, in the County of Middleſex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 9th Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

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Admiralty-Office, October 26, 1747.

The Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having received Information, that a very large Fleet of Merchant Ships, bound from the Ports of France to the Weſt-Indies, were collecting together at the Iſle d'Aix, and that a ſtrong Squadron of Ships of War had ſail'd from Breſt to eſcort them, they ſent to Sea Rear-Admiral Hawke, with a Squadron of his Majeſty's Ships, to endeavour to intercept them. The French Fleet put to Sea from the Iſle d'Aix on the 7th Inſtant, O. S. and came to an Anchor that Day in Rochelle Road, and the next Day they ſail'd from thence on their Voyage. On the 14th, at Seven in the Morning, Rear-Admiral Hawke fell in with them, and writes the following Account.

AT Seven in the Morning of the 14th of October, being in the Latitude of 47° 49′ North Longitude from Cape Finiſterre 1° 2′ Weſt, the Edinburgh made the Signal for Seven Sail in the South-Eaſt Quarter. I immediately made the Signal for all the Fleet to chaſe. About Eight we ſaw a great Number of Ships, but ſo crowded together, that we could not count them. At Ten made the Signal for the Line of Battle a-head. The Louiſa, being the headmoſt and weathermoſt Ship, made the Signal for diſcovering Eleven Sail of the Enemy's Line of Battle Ships. Half an Hour after, Capt. Fox in the Kent hailed us, and ſaid, they counted Twelve very large Ships. Soon after I perceived the Enemy's Convoy to crowd away with all the Sail they could ſet, while their Ships of War were endeavouring to form in a Line a-ſtern of them, and haul'd near the Wind under their Topſails and Foreſails, and ſome with Top-gallant Sails ſet. Finding we loſt Time in forming our Line, while the Enemy was ſtanding away from us, at Eleven made the Signal for the whole Squadron to chaſe. Half an Hour after, obſerving our headmoſt Ships to be within a proper Diſtance, I made the Signal to engage, which was immediately obey'd. The Lyon and Princeſs Louiſa began the Engagement, and were follow'd by the reſt of the Squadron as they could come up, and went from Rear to Van. The Enemy having the Weather Gage of us, and a ſmart and conſtant Fire being kept on both Sides, the Smoke prevented my ſeeing the Number of the Enemy, or what happened on either Side for ſome Time. In paſſing on to the firſt Ship we could get near, we received many Fires at a Diſtance, till we came cloſe to the Severne of 50 Guns, whom we ſoon ſilenc'd, and left to be taken up by the Frigates a-ſtern. Then perceiving the Eagle and Edinburgh, who had loſt her Foretop-maſt, engaged, we kept our Wind as cloſe as poſſible, in order to aſſiſt them. This Attempt of ours was fruſtrated by the Eagle's falling twice on board us, having had her Wheel ſhot to pieces, and all the Men at it killed, and all her Braces and Bowlings gone. This drove us to Leeward, and prevented our attacking Le Monarque of 74, and the Tonnant of 80 Guns, within any Diſtance to do Execution. However we attempted both, eſpecially the latter: While we were engaged with her, the Breechings of all our lower Deck Guns broke, and the Guns flew Fore and Aft, which obliged us to ſhoot a-head, for our upper and quarter Deck Guns could not reach her. Captain Harland, in the Tilbury, obſerving that ſhe fired ſingle Guns at us, in order to diſmaſt us, ſtood on the other Tack between her and the Devonſhire, and gave her a very ſmart Fire. By the Time the new Breechings were all ſeized, I was got almoſt along Side the Trident of 64 Guns, whom I engaged as ſoon as poſſible, and ſilenced by as briſk a Fire as I could make. Juſt before I attacked her, obſerving the Kent, which ſeemed to have little or no Damage, at ſome Diſtance a-ſtern of the Tonnant, I flung out Captain Fox's Pendant to make Sail a-head to engage her, as I ſaw it was in his Power to get cloſe up with her, ſhe being ſomewhat diſabled, having loſt her Main-top-maſt. Seeing ſome of our Ships at that Time not ſo cloſely engaged as I could have wiſhed, and not being well able to diſtinguiſh who they were, I flung out

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